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of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC
and the Estate of Bernard L. Madoff*

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

SECURITIES INVESTOR PROTECTION
CORPORATION,

Plaintiff-Applicant,

v.

BERNARD L. MADOFF INVESTMENT
SECURITIES LLC,

Defendant.

In re:

BERNARD L. MADOFF,

Debtor.

IRVING H. PICARD, Trustee for the Liquidation of
Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC,

Plaintiff,

v.

SHERWOOD FRIEND,

Defendant.

No. 08-01789 (SMB)

SIPA LIQUIDATION

(Substantively Consolidated)

Adv. Pro. No. 10-04747 (SMB)

**WITHDRAWAL OF NOTICE OF PARTIES' INTENT TO PARTICIPATE IN
MEDIATION**

Irving H. Picard ("Trustee"), as trustee for the liquidation of the business of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities, LLC under the Securities Investor Protection Act, 15 U.S.C. §§ 78aaa, *et seq.*, and Bernard L. Madoff, by and through his counsel, Baker & Hostetler LLP, hereby withdraws, without prejudice, the Notice of Parties' Intent to Participate in Mediation (Dkt. 11).

The Defendant may move, answer, or otherwise respond to the Complaint filed in the above-captioned adversary proceeding up to and including May 19, 2014.

Date: April 17, 2014
New York, New York

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